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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:

**VICTOR B. KLEY**

Application No.: 09/919,780

Filed: July 31, 2001

For: **SCANNING PROBE  
MICROSCOPY INSPECTION AND  
MODIFICATION SYSTEM**

Examiner: **Christopher M. Kalivoda**

Technology Center/Art Unit: 2881

**AMENDMENT AFTER ALLOWANCE  
UNDER 37 CFR § 1.312(a)**

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Sir:

In response to the Notice of Allowance mailed March 25, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.